

Alexandria Gazette

VOL. LXXVII.

ALEXANDRIA, VA., MONDAY, MAY 29, 1876.

NO. 124.

ALEX. GAZETTE & VIRGINIA ADVERTISER
PUBLISHED DAILY BY
EDGAR SNOWDEN.
GAZETTE BUILDING, NO. 70 PRINCE STREET
One year, \$8.00
Six months, 4.00
Three months, 2.00
One month, .75

ALEX. GAZETTE & VIRGINIA ADVERTISER
(FOR THE COUNTRY)
Published Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays
At five dollars per annum.

Transient advertisements inserted at \$1.00 per square, (eight lines or less) for first insertion, and twenty-five cents for each subsequent insertion.
Marriage and Death Notices fifty cents. Obituaries will be charged at advertisement rates for notices over four lines.

Washington's March.

This patriotic air, which is dearer to American hearts than Wagner's Teutonic rhapsodies or Offenbach's Parisian frivolities, was composed, it should be remembered, by Captain (Leon) Moore, a gallant Revolutionary officer. Invalided from wounds received at the battle of the Brandywine, he removed to Alexandria (then in the District of Columbia) in 1800, and was appointed register of wills for Alexandria county, D. C., which office he held until his death in 1808. Captain Moore's son, Alexander, represented the District in the war of 1812, participating in the battle of the White House, down the Potomac; and his grandson, Thomas, enlisted from here in the "Mounted Rifles," which served so gallantly in the Mexican war, and died in Mexico. The Revolutionary Captain Moore was a wag, as well as a poet and a soldier. One day, during the Revolutionary war, he found himself in command of a detached squad on duty in Westmoreland county, Va., and chancing to meet a flock of geese belonging to a planter named Page, he "glibly" them, with the exception of the patriarch of the flock, around whose neck he tied an old-fashioned silver nine penny bit, wrapped in a piece of paper, on which was written:

"My good Mr. Page,
Be not in a rage,
Nor think it a very great wonder:
We have taken nine geese."

At a penny a piece,
And sent you the cash by the gander."

The District of Columbia has had many brave citizens, but the bravest of the brave, (as Napoleon styled Marshal Ney), was Alexander Hunter, who was adjutant of the District Volunteers, which were on duty lower down the Potomac, in the war of 1812-14. While in this service at Benedict, on the Maryland shore, a traitor from Virginia, named Frank Wise, was killed by a British sergeant of marines, who swore that no Yankee should take him prisoner alive. Adjutant Hunter sprang from his horse, and after a sharp fight with swords, ran him through the body, and killed him. This brave exploit secured him promotion, and he was for many years general of the District militia. When the celebrated M. J. Eaton introduced broke up General Jackson's Cabinet, and raised a general row, General Eaton expected to fight another member of the Cabinet, and selected General Hunter as his second. He conducted on this occasion secured for him the appointment of United States marshal for this District, then a more lucrative office than it now is, from General Jackson, and he held it for some years, until forced by ill health to decline it. He died in this city in February, 1849, aged fifty-seven, and was buried near his father at "Summer Hill Farm," near Alexandria, the residence of the Chapmans, into which family both his father and himself had married.—*Washington Chronicle.*

PLASTERING THE WRONG MAN.—It was a very embarrassing circumstance, and it happened at a hotel in Mt. Vernon. A man and his wife were stopping there. The man was subject to fever attacks of cholera, and was taken sick there in the night. He told his wife that he must have immediate relief or he could not live, and bought a mustard draft without delay. She hastily rolled herself, went down stairs and found the watchman, who admitted her to the dining room, and she laid the mustard on the stairs. Finding the door ajar she rushed in, turned down the bed clothes and stopped the mustard draft on the unconscious man's bowels. He instantly sprang up in bed, and in a strange voice said: "My God! Madam, what are you doing?" "My God! Madam, what are you doing?" "My God! Madam, what are you doing?" "My God! Madam, what are you doing?"

JUST RECEIVED.—Another supply of Hair, Nail and Tooth Brushes; also Combs of all descriptions at
W. F. CREIGHTON'S,
85 King street.

PARIS GREEN, for the destruction of the Potato Bug, another large supply just received by
E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.,
96 King street.

OILED SILK, Chambré Skins, Ready-mixed Paints of all kinds and in any quantity, the celebrated Roof and Floor Paint, for sale by
E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.,
96 King street.

FRENCH DRESSING and SATIN POLISH, for ladies' and children's shoes; a full supply just received by
E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.,
96 King street.

ENGLISH TOILET SETS, handsomely decorated, at
E. J. MILLER & CO.,
65 King street.

50 CENT TEAS: Japan and Black; the best Teas yet offered for the money; just opened by
G. W. RAMSAY,
ap 21

PICKLES.—New Cucumber, English Mixed and Chow Chow, at
DAVEY & HARMON'S,
Cor. Prince and Royal streets.

YARMOUTH BLOATERS, Codfish, Round and Split Labrador Herring, and Nos. 1, 2 and 3 mackerel for sale by
W. A. JOHNSON,
mh 16

COLMAN'S MUSTARD, in 1, 4 and 1 lb tins, just received by
J. C. & E. MILBURN,
my 13

NEW NO. 1 MACKEREL, prime, received to-day by
J. C. & E. MILBURN,
my 14

FINE PINEAPPLES and EXTRA LARGE ORANGES just received by
G. W. RAMSAY,
my 13

10 DOZEN MORE UNWASHED SHIRTS; all numbers, only \$1.50.
H. C. SLAYMAKER CO.,
mh 3

50 BUSHELS PRIME PEACH BLOW POTATOES for sale low by
J. C. & E. MILBURN,
my 18

FINE CUCUMBER PICKLES just received by
GEO. MCBURNEY & SON,
my 18

DRIED PEACHES and German Peas, dried whole, just received by
G. W. RAMSAY,
ap 21

GARDEN SEEDS.—Another large supply of Lindbergh's Garden Seeds, just received by
E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.,
my 16

MASON'S DESSERT CAKES and LEMON SNAPS for sale by
J. C. & E. MILBURN,
my 16

FRESH OATMEAL and DRIED SUGAR CORN received to-day by
J. C. & E. MILBURN,
my 16

1,000 LBS. FRESH BUCKWHEAT FLOUR, for sale by
DAVEY & HARMON,
near 2

BACON.—Small Sugar-cured Hams, Shoulders and Breakfast Pieces, at
W. A. JOHNSON,
mh 16

USE THE EUREKA SEWING SILK.—Perfectly smooth and full length. H. C. SLAYMAKER CO. sell it.
ap 10

CRANBERRIES and Cox's Gelatine just received by
J. C. & E. MILBURN,
dec 30

COFFEES.—A full line at reduced rates just received by
GEO. MCBURNEY & SON,
mh 23

DRIED CHERRIES, Peaches and Apples for sale by
J. C. & E. MILBURN,
mh 25

PURE CIDER VINEGAR just received by
J. C. MILBURN,
my 22

SIMMONS' LIVER REGULATOR

For all Diseases of the Liver, Stomach and Spleen.

After Forty Years' trial it is still receiving the most unqualified testimonials of its virtues from persons of the highest character and responsibility. It is eminently a Family Medicine, and by being kept ready for immediate resort will save many an hour of suffering and many a dollar in time and money.

DOCTORS' TESTIMONIALS.

Your Regulator is one of the best family medicines I ever used. I have not spent one dollar for my family for medicine in five years, only for your Regulator, and must say it does all it says it will. You can also recommend it in Colic for Stock, it having cured a fine mule of mine worth five hundred dollars.—[J. A. Nelson, Macon, Ga.]

The Liver, the largest organ in the body, is generally the seat of the disease, and if not regulated in time great suffering, weakness and DEATH will ensue.

If you feel BULL, DROOPY, DEBILITATED, have frequent Headaches, MOUTH TASTES BILIOUS, poor Appetite and Tongue Coated, you are suffering from Torpid Liver or "Biliousness," and nothing will cure you so speedily and permanently.

Hon. Alexander H. Stephens.

"I occasionally use, when my condition requires it, Dr. Simmons' Liver Regulator, with good effect."—(Hon. Alex. H. Stephens.)

Governor of Alabama.

"Your Regulator has been in use in my family for some time, and I am persuaded it is a valuable addition to the medical science."—(Gov. J. Gill Shorter, Ala.)

"I have used the Regulator in my family for the past seventeen years. I can safely recommend it to the world as the best medicine I have ever used for that class of diseases it purports to cure."—(H. E. Thigpen.)

Baltimore Episcopal Methodist.

This medicine is acknowledged to have no equal as a Liver Medicine, containing those Southern Roots and Herbs which an all-wise Providence has placed in countries where Liver Diseases most prevail.

Lady's Endorsement.

"I have given your medicine a thorough trial, and in no case has it failed to give full satisfaction."—(Ellen Neschem, Clatskanie, Fla.)

Professional.

"From actual experience in the use of this medicine in my practice I have been, and am, satisfied to use and prescribe it as a purgative medicine."—(Dr. J. W. Mason.)

Florida M. E. Conference.

"I have used Dr. Simmons' Liver Regulator in my family for Dyspepsia and sick Headache, and regard it an invaluable remedy. It has not failed to give relief in any instance."—(Rev. W. F. Esterling.)

President Oglethorpe College.

"Simmons' Liver Regulator is certainly a specific for that class of complaints which it claims to cure."—(Rev. Davis, Wis.) my 11

HAMBURG EDGINGS.—We have a large complete assortment of Hamburg Edgings and Insertings, to which we are constantly adding and offering at very low prices.
FERGUSON & BROS.,
96 King street.

SPECIALTIES.—Hoop Skirts, Bustles, Corsets, High Corsets and Robert's Razor Steel Corsets; every pair warranted at
FERGUSON & BROS.,
96 King street.

JUST RECEIVED.—Another supply of Hair, Nail and Tooth Brushes; also Combs of all descriptions at
W. F. CREIGHTON'S,
85 King street.

PARIS GREEN, for the destruction of the Potato Bug, another large supply just received by
E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.,
96 King street.

OILED SILK, Chambré Skins, Ready-mixed Paints of all kinds and in any quantity, the celebrated Roof and Floor Paint, for sale by
E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.,
96 King street.

FRENCH DRESSING and SATIN POLISH, for ladies' and children's shoes; a full supply just received by
E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.,
96 King street.

ENGLISH TOILET SETS, handsomely decorated, at
E. J. MILLER & CO.,
65 King street.

50 CENT TEAS: Japan and Black; the best Teas yet offered for the money; just opened by
G. W. RAMSAY,
ap 21

PICKLES.—New Cucumber, English Mixed and Chow Chow, at
DAVEY & HARMON'S,
Cor. Prince and Royal streets.

YARMOUTH BLOATERS, Codfish, Round and Split Labrador Herring, and Nos. 1, 2 and 3 mackerel for sale by
W. A. JOHNSON,
mh 16

COLMAN'S MUSTARD, in 1, 4 and 1 lb tins, just received by
J. C. & E. MILBURN,
my 13

NEW NO. 1 MACKEREL, prime, received to-day by
J. C. & E. MILBURN,
my 14

FINE PINEAPPLES and EXTRA LARGE ORANGES just received by
G. W. RAMSAY,
my 13

10 DOZEN MORE UNWASHED SHIRTS; all numbers, only \$1.50.
H. C. SLAYMAKER CO.,
mh 3

50 BUSHELS PRIME PEACH BLOW POTATOES for sale low by
J. C. & E. MILBURN,
my 18

FINE CUCUMBER PICKLES just received by
GEO. MCBURNEY & SON,
my 18

DRIED PEACHES and German Peas, dried whole, just received by
G. W. RAMSAY,
ap 21

GARDEN SEEDS.—Another large supply of Lindbergh's Garden Seeds, just received by
E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.,
my 16

MASON'S DESSERT CAKES and LEMON SNAPS for sale by
J. C. & E. MILBURN,
my 16

FRESH OATMEAL and DRIED SUGAR CORN received to-day by
J. C. & E. MILBURN,
my 16

1,000 LBS. FRESH BUCKWHEAT FLOUR, for sale by
DAVEY & HARMON,
near 2

BACON.—Small Sugar-cured Hams, Shoulders and Breakfast Pieces, at
W. A. JOHNSON,
mh 16

USE THE EUREKA SEWING SILK.—Perfectly smooth and full length. H. C. SLAYMAKER CO. sell it.
ap 10

CRANBERRIES and Cox's Gelatine just received by
J. C. & E. MILBURN,
dec 30

COFFEES.—A full line at reduced rates just received by
GEO. MCBURNEY & SON,
mh 23

DRIED CHERRIES, Peaches and Apples for sale by
J. C. & E. MILBURN,
mh 25

PURE CIDER VINEGAR just received by
J. C. MILBURN,
my 22

HAIR! HAIR!

Our stock is now complete, with every shade, FROM BLACK TO BLONDE, In Switches and Curls.

We are offering special inducements. A nice, large Braid for \$3. Our \$5 Braids are a superior article.

We are also prepared to make all styles of CURLS at short notice.

COMBINGS! COMBINGS! Special attention paid to this branch of the business.

Ladies not having a sufficient quantity of Combing to make Braids can have Hair added at a slight cost. Combing can also be made into Curls, Puffs, Frizzes, &c.

Wholesale and retail. Special inducements to country merchants.

FERGUSON AND BROTHERS' HAIR DEPOT, 96 King street, Alexandria, Va.

KID GLOVES. FIFTY DOZEN KID GLOVES, SPRING STYLES.

TWO BUTTONS AT 50 CENTS. Just received at

SCHWARZ'S, 132 King street.

LOOK! SOMETHING NEW! LOOK! THE CENTENNIAL KNIFE, SIDE BOX AND HIS PLATE.

Call and examine at
C. C. BERRY'S, 72 King st.

SUN UMBRELLAS! SUN UMBRELLAS! A full supply of the above at prices to suit the times at
C. C. BERRY'S.

KID GLOVES! IN SPRING STYLES.

Two Buttons.....\$0.75
Two Buttons.....1.00
Three Buttons.....1.25
Just received at
C. C. BERRY'S,
mh 21

AGAIN WE GIVE NOTICE OF THE arrival of a fresh stock, carefully selected in the market at very low prices.

Damee's style of Dress Goods which we sold freely at 50c this season. Now we have bought them to sell at 30c. Gingham at 25 per cent less than we sold the same earlier. 2 styles.

New styles in Calicoes for suits; more of those cheap Percals and Cambrics; 10 1/2 Bleached and Brown Sheetings and many other goods—all bought at the lowest figures and will be sold correspondingly cheap.

H. C. SLAYMAKER CO.
L. BERRY'S LIQUID EXTRACT OF BEEF AND TONIC INVIGORATOR, recommended by the best physicians in England and America for Consumption, Debility, Loss of Appetite, Fever, Ague, Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Female and Children's Maladies. Put up in pint bottles at \$1 each. Sold by
WARFIELD & HALL,
27 Corner Prince and Fairfax streets.

SARATOGA, Olives, Worcestershire Sauce, Salad Dressing, French Mustard, Pickled Meats; also English and American Pickles in glass.

my 20 GEO. MCBURNEY & SON.

J. C. & E. MILBURN Are constantly receiving NEW CHOICE GROCERIES, which they are selling at as low prices as they can be purchased in this city.

CARBOLIC CAMPHOR, for the preservation of furs, carpets and all woolen goods. Price 25 and 50c per package. Just received at
W. F. CREIGHTON,
85 King street.

READY MIXED PAINTS of all the different makes supplied at factory prices. Sample cards and estimates furnished upon application.

JANNEY & CO.
CHOICE FAMILY FLOUR—50 bbls. On hand & Wagon's new Process Family Flour. We desire to call special attention to this flour, as we can recommend it as a choice article.

my 9 WASHINGTON & BRO.

DEATH TO POTATO BUGS! PARIS GREEN. A large supply just received and for sale by
JANNEY & CO.,
my 8

CENTENNIAL DIARIES, handsomely gotten up, with a Calendar for 1876. Cash Account, Interest Tables, &c., for sale cheap by
JOHN H. PARROTT.

CANNED GOODS are extremely low at
MCBURN'S,
106 and 170 King st.

NORTON'S CELEBRATED PINEAPPLE CHEESE just received by
J. C. & E. MILBURN.

TRY OUR 50c OOLONG TEA, with Green Tea Flavor.
J. C. & E. MILBURN.

ANOTHER SUPPLY OF SMALL HAMS received this day (May 12th 1876).
J. C. & E. MILBURN.

10 CARBOYS OIL VITRIOL in store and for sale at lowest market rates.
JANNEY & CO.

GUNPOWDER TEAS: an entire new line.
G. W. RAMSAY,
my 21 Corner King and St. Asaph st.

A GENERAL assortment of Plain and Fancy BASKETS at
MCBURN'S, 106 & 170 King st.

JUST OPENED.—Another Invoice of Good Imperial TEA, price FIFTY CENTS at
J. C. & E. MILBURN.

FRESH GROUND GRAHAM FLOUR just received by
J. C. & E. MILBURN.

S. HAWL STRAPS; price 50c; a good article.
FERGUSON & BROS.,
my 3 96 King street

FAMILY FLOUR—50 bbls. D. H. Bagley's Family Flour for sale by
WASHINGTON & BRO.

DRIED SUGAR CORN for sale by
my 23 GEO. MCBURNEY & SON.

DANS! FANS! H. C. SLAYMAKER CO.

my 27

DRESS GOODS.

Just received

NEW STYLES OF DRESS GOODS, IN DAMASSE, STRIPED, PLAID and PLAIN.

Also new styles of PARASOLS and SUN UMBRELLAS, Cheap at

D. BENDHEIM'S, NO. 112 KING STREET, Adjoining the Marshal House.

BY NEW YORK STEAMER THIS DAY.

A beautiful and carefully selected assortment of

THE NEWEST STYLES OF TAPESTRY BRUSSELS CARPETS.

Also CHINA and COCOA MATTING, in all widths, at

D. F. WITMER'S, NO. 73 KING STREET, (Second floor.)

A FULL LINE OF 3-Ply Ingrain Hemp Carpets, OIL CLOTHS, RUGS, MATS, &c., at

D. F. WITMER'S, NO. 73 King street, second floor.

144 Pretzfelder & Co. 144

Offer Great Bargains in CASSIMERES for Men and Boys' wear. Large lines of BLACK ALPACAS and MOHAIRS, in Rich Blue, Black and Jet Black, at extremely low prices.

BLACK SILKS! BLACK SILKS! Bought at the late New York auction sales, and which we will sell at AUCHE'S PRICES.

UNPAID SHIRTS AT REDUCED PRICES. A small lot of double width POPLIN ALPACAS in new Spring shades at 25c—worth double.

A line of newest styles DRESS GOODS at 12 1/2c worth selling.

A full line of WHITE GOODS, EMBROIDERIES, &c.

PRETZFELDER & CO., No. 144 King street.

FURNISHING GOODS.

JULIAN F. YOUNG, DEALER IN

Hats, Caps and Straw Goods, NO. 80 KING STREET.

Is receiving his new stock for Spring and Summer, and invites the inspection of purchasers before buying elsewhere. He dares himself that in his selection great taste has been displayed, and can't but please the most fastidious eye.

His "SLICK" is gotten up by the best manufacturers in New York, is warranted to give entire satisfaction.

But it is useless to enumerate my stock; call and examine for yourself. The largest variety and cheapest goods in our city; bought for cash, and am selling at reasonable prices. You "may" like my SUMMER COCK VENTILATED HAT. Call and examine it at

YOUNG'S, 80 King street, Alexandria, Virginia.

TAYLOR & HUFFY, 933 Pennsylvania Avenue, WASHINGTON, D. C.

Have REDUCED the price of their celebrated

DOUBLE-YOKE SHIRTS,

AS FOLLOWS:

Quality No. 1, \$24.00.....Formerly \$30.00
" " 2, 33.00....." 36.00
" " 3, 39.00....." 42.00
" " 4, 42.00....." 48.00

Washington, my 8

ENCOURAGE HOME MANUFACTURE. I am now manufacturing a good and cheap PAINT, of different colors, the body of which is equal to Lead and Oil, which for tin roofs, barns, stables, fences, &c., will be found very suitable as well as economical, and an improvement over other cheap mixed Paints now in the market.

For brick walls with a northern exposure it will act as a preservative and last long. For iron it makes a solid and lasting coating. For wood it is a preservative and prevents rust. Being of various shades of color, the cornice and trimmings can be painted to suit. This Paint has been used by one railroad company and by many of the farmers in this vicinity, and is highly recommended by all who have tried it. Price, single gallon, 75c. 10 gallons \$6 per gal. 1 bbl, or 40 gallons, \$6 per gal. Call and examine samples at 85 King st., under Supt. Hall.

my 31 W. F. CREIGHTON.

LARGEST STOCK OF NEW DRY GOODS.—New York, Philadelphia and Baltimore—Choice stock of Dress Goods.—We have just received from New York by the best selected purchase of Fancy and Staple Dry Goods we have ever offered in this market. These goods have been purchased with great care from the largest importers in this country, and are the best styles for each or for responsible and prompt parties on short time as cheap as the same goods can be purchased in any large city. New goods opening every day. We sell good goods at popular prices.

D. F. BRASHEAR, H. B. BOOMES, No. 109 King street, Alexandria, Va.

FLOOR STAIN.—We have just prepared by our new recipe a large supply of the above useful and popular article. It renders the floor slightly and attractive in appearance, being of a rich dark walnut color. For stairways, halls or the floors of rooms it is desired to keep uncarpeted during the summer season it is especially adapted. It is prepared already for immediate use, will dry hard and firm in the course of a few hours, and can be supplied by any one with a brush or sponge. We are permitted to refer to a number of our customers who have used it with entire satisfaction. Shipped to the country in any quantity desired. Sold by the pint or gallon.

JANNEY & CO.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE. Having been appointed by the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria as administrator of the estate of John T. Evans, deceased, I hereby give notice to all parties indebted to the estate to come forward at once and make payment to me. All parties having claims against the estate will present them to L. C. O'NEAL, executor.

Adm'r of John T. Evans, dec'd.

A NOTHER SUPPLY OF SPRING AND SUMMER HATS received this morning at

my 17 YOUNG'S, 80 King street.

GROCERIES.

NEW STORE! NEW GOODS! NEW PRICES!

The subscriber respectfully announces that he has taken the store

NO. 117 KING STREET, and is prepared to offer a full and carefully selected stock of

FINE FAMILY GROCERIES at prices which cannot fail to please. Goods delivered promptly to all parts of the city, and satisfaction guaranteed in every particular. An inspection of stock solicited.

my 5-11 F. J. DAVIDSON.

W. A. JOHNSON, (Successor to Johnson & Sherwood,) GROCERY, LIQUOR, FEED AND COMMISSION MERCHANT, 100 North Corner Cameron and Royal streets, ALEXANDRIA, VA.

All orders from the country will receive prompt and careful attention. Jan 25-11